

# HORSEMAN'S GREEN GUILD and COMMUNITY NEWS DROP



## November to January 2023

**ALWAYS check the A Frame. Please BOOK IN ADVANCE where possible for socials. It helps us cater for YOU!**



**Tuesdays** join the **Lift, Chair and Light Exercise Class** for a 45 minute session starting at **1.30pm**. No gym gear needed just comfy clothes. NB. Classes will restart after the Christmas on Jan 10<sup>th</sup>. Cost is £2pp and includes a tea/coffee after the class. **Contact** Andrea on 830710 for information and to book your place

The **Green Art Group** is another well supported venture but there's always room for more. Now every other **Tuesday** so: **Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>; Dec 13<sup>th</sup> and Jan: 10<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>rd</sup>**. A 90 minutes session from 2.45 but all are invited to meet at 2.15pm for tea/coffee. Please bring your own equipment. You never know what you can do until you give it a try! Uncertain? Just drop in and see the Green Artists at work? £5.00 pp per session. For information and to book **contact** Andrea on 830710



**Lads Night** enjoy an evening of **Ten Pin Bowling** followed by an Indian at Anise on **Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>**. In **Dec** there will be the Lads Christmas dinner – date and venue tba. **Contact Gareth** through the Lads Night WhatsApp group or email [gareth.edwards4@aol.co.uk](mailto:gareth.edwards4@aol.co.uk) for more information and to book your place. Please note **NO meeting in Jan.**



**Choir time** with **The Green Singers** is the **first 3 Thursdays in Nov and Dec, and Jan 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>** from 6.30 to 8 .00pm. This is a super social evening as well as a good sing along. Just £5 per session – great for your health and wellbeing. New recruits always welcome – **the three men are still waiting for more company!** For further Information **contact** Jackie on 07887988732

**Sat. Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Poppy Coffee** at the Green Cafe. Poppies on sale along with remembrance items. ALL funds raised are for the **Royal British Legion**. Cafe opens at 10.30 am to 12.00 noon with Coffee and cake just £2.50 pp. Donations of cakes on the day gratefully received. **Please book in advance. Contact:** Yvonne 830516 to offer cakes/book a table.



**Weds. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> - Understand your Entitlement.** Representatives from the Rainbow Centre will be at the Hall from 9.30 am to 12.30 promoting the work of the Community Agents and Welfare Rights Team. This is a **FREE** drop in session with tea / coffee available.

**Sat. Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>** (note this date) **the Green Fingers Gardening Club** will meet in the hall at 10.00am to discuss planting Spring bulbs in pots. On **Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>** prepare for Christmas, making Christmas Wreaths. **NO meeting in Jan.** Contact Jackie on 07887988732 for further information

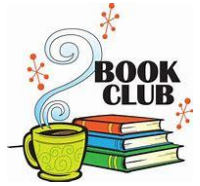


**Weds. Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> Ladies** it's your **special night**. Watch our own talented Ingrid prepare a Christmas Cake topper of sugar fondant icing and then prepare one of your own under Ingrid's watchful eye. Small charge to cover material costs in addition to normal £4 fee. **Dec 14<sup>th</sup> is Christmas Party Night.** Bring a plate of seasonal food or bottle of wine (as directed). **Jan 18<sup>th</sup>** warning lads, the ladies will be dining out! Venue and time tba- Put these dates in your diary. Join the WhatsApp chat group for further information by **contacting Chris** on 07585118763.



**Mon. Nov.28<sup>th</sup> & Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> the Wrexham Mobile Library Service** will visit the hall 10.00am to 11.00am. New members welcome but contact **the mobile library service prior to the visit.** If you'd like to use the Library but are house bound, just contact the service. Phone 01978 667286 or email [ML@wrexham.gov.uk](mailto:ML@wrexham.gov.uk) NB: The service will contact users to confirm or amend dates and times.

Join the **Green Book Club** in the Hall after the Mobile Library visit. Stay on after selecting your books, have a coffee and join the group. Your support could also help keep the MLS visiting HG as they kindly provide copies of the book under review. Small fee of £1 to cover hall hire. If you want more information chat with Julie on 830293



## Inspired To Make

Start your countdown to Christmas at the **Inspired to Make** crafting sessions. **Thurs. Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>** refresh your **Christmas decorations** with a free standing traditional Scandi or modern themed arrangement. **Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>** is your chance to top your tree with a **macramé angel using feathers**, similar to a technique practised last year. **Jan 12<sup>th</sup>** learn just **two crochet stitches** and create **baskets** for small objects or decorative pieces. Remember sessions are from 9.30 to 11.30 with the small fee of £5 to cover costs. Don't forget you can just drop in for a chat and coffee, you don't have to get hands on. **Contact** Andrea on 830710 for more information and to register.



**Weds. Nov 23<sup>rd</sup>** join Carole and Jim for a **walking adventure**. Enjoy fresh air, exercise and a good old chat! Route to be decided dependent on weather conditions but likely to involve a place for refreshment. Please do come suitably dressed for crossing fields and rough terrain. Any dogs on leads please. **Contact Carole** on 830557 for information nearer the time.



**Thurs. Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>** **Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>** and **Jan 26<sup>th</sup>** join **Chatter and Craft** from 9.30 to 11.30. A group for people who just love to meet and chat with friends. Bring along a little craft project of your own to work on. Or purchase a Craft kit for £3/£4 each. Just £2 per session including a tea or coffee. **Contact** Andrea on 830710



**Fri Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>** YES – it's back! Doors open at 7.00pm for a prompt 7.30pm start. Teams of no more than 6, at £2.00 pp. Bring your own drinks and your own picnic hampers for that all important 'food for thought'! Tea /Coffee (no charge) served at the interval. Optional raffle. ALL monies raised will go to the Hall Community Fund. **Book your team** in with Hilary on 830397 – don't forget your **Team Name!**

**Fri. Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>** **ALL households** are invited to the hall for the **Christmas Tree Lights switch on**. Rumour has it we **still need a BIGGER tree!** Bring an ornament for the tree if you wish. Gather in the hall 6.00pm onwards ready for the switch on by a HG resident at 6.30pm. Make their celebrity night special and mark the start of your own festive season. Stay on for a natter with friends at the **Pop up Christmas Pub**. Drinks competitively priced, accompanied by a few light Christmas bites.



**Tues. Dec 20<sup>th</sup>** we had to cancel it last year, but fingers crossed for this year, its **Community Christmas Carols** with Mulled Wine and Mince Pies. Get those vocal chords working again. Enjoy Community Spirit at its best. Donations of mince pies please in advance to Barbara. A magical event which will see the return of **'The Twelve Days of Christmas'** - HG style **MUST be experienced!** Singing to start at 7.00pm – 8.00pm

**New Year's Eve** – We're opening the hall from 7.30pm to 12.00 midnight. So if you want company but don't want to wander far come on down. Bring your own drinks and something to nibble.





**Sat. Jan 21<sup>st</sup>** the **Green Cafe** will be opening its doors of the hall at 10.30 am and welcoming you to its **first Posh Coffee of 2023**. Pop along for a cup of delicious coffee or a special tea. Only £2.50, including cake and all the refills you want! Special talk at 11.00 am from a North East Wales Search & Rescue volunteer, Chris Griffiths. Donations of cakes on the day gratefully received. **Please book in advance. Contact:** Barbara 830324 to offer cakes/book a table. Monies raised donated to North East Wales Search & Rescue.

**Fri. Jan 27<sup>th</sup>** a family and friends **Beetle Drive**. Have a cheap evening out and a bit of good old fun. Not played for years? Don't worry we'll go through the rules. Only £3.00 pp, children free. Tea/coffee and a light buffet. Optional raffle. Doors open at 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start. Monies raised for Hall fund. **Contact** Barbara to **book**.



**Thanks go to:** Those who attended our **Coffee Morning** in August and September – together these raised £176 for the Hall. Thanks for the delicious cakes too. The **Afternoon Tea** raised £230 each for Nightingale House and Breast Cancer Now, along with £20 for the Hall. **Bingo** was a HUGE success raising £217. Hope you all had a fun time. The Defibrillator Demo was very well supported and an informative evening. Check out the 'Good Sam' App. More on this to come.

We're doing well but remember - we need to raise nearly £200/month to cover our costs. **Your continued support is vital.**

**Other Bits and Bobs:** Thanks to Andrea we have **received a grant from the Lottery** for our gentle exercise classes which will cover instructor's fees for a year and any equipment needed; A **Structural Survey** was completed in September. Thanks to Greg for excavating and reinstating the holes, helped by Colin and Gareth. The **Hall Working Group** continues to meet; **Volunteers** - delighted you are coming forward, you're wanted and needed. Want to **hire the Hall for a Party?** Check out the website: [horsemansgreencommunity.co.uk](http://horsemansgreencommunity.co.uk). and ... don't forget our **Facebook Page**.



The Trustees and the Hall Management Team would like to thank you all for  
your

support over the year and wish you all a VERY Happy Christmas and a healthy  
and prosperous 2023.



**Want to attend something, but don't have transport? Ring any number shown.  
Don't be shy, give things a try. You might just enjoy yourself!**

